

REMARKS

This application has been amended to insert the required headings and to place the claims into better conformance with preferred USPTO practice without narrowing the claims. New claims 22-29 are commensurate in scope with selected ones of the previously presented claims 1-21 and are presented in even better conformance with preferred USPTO practice. Entry of the amendments and early consideration and allowance are respectfully requested.

Authorization is given to charge any fees in connection with this or any other communication, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-1170.

Respectfully submitted,



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